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Tex Rickard's Association With Willard-Moran Bout a Guarantee That It Will Go Through as Scheduled.

Converted 1916 by The Press Publishing Co. EX RICKARD'S association with coming Willard-Moran atch is a guarantee that it go through as scheduled. Rickard has promoted other matches even more important, has guaranteed great purses, and always has made good. His bid of \$101,000 for the Johnsonfeffries match carried the rival prooff their feet. And Rickard have made good that bid even if the match had been a bloomer and the gate receipts hadn't been large nough to pay for the resin in the

match in New York City is the law that requires ownership or a year's lease of the club building before a license has been issued. And
no doubt Rickard can make an arrangement with some club aiready in
existence, so that he can run his show
under a license aiready granted. If
not, he'll take out a year's lease for
the club, get his license and go ahead

Coffey was officially knocked out. He was helpless, in the opinion of his own manager, when the sponge was thrown in, and the sponge was tossed thrown in, and the sponge was tossed to save him from taking an unnecessary beating. According to the rules from New Brunswick, N. J., Davidson, and the custom of the ring this is who is an ex-Wesleyanite, acted as technically a knockout, just as much coach to the Rutgers College basket as if the boxer had been knocked ball team last year, and, of course, with eenseless for a week.

Any one who refuses to pay a wager charge the duties of coach one year and charge that Coffey "wasn't play on an amateur team the next. on the plea that Coffey "wa knocked out" is simply weishing.

BENNY LEONARD is to box Joe Rivers here at 135 pounds. This land Rice of Englewood won the cham will be a harder bout for Billy be a hard the wild be a hard be being 337. E. T. Manson of Framingham was second in Class and the beauty be a hard the beauty be being 337. E. T. Manson of Framingham was second in Class and the beauty beau

THE principal danger in boxing that the United States Navel Academy and the University of West Virginia football teams have been matched to play in Annapolis, Md., on Oct. 21. around the ring. No one but a well

trained sprinter should tackle Welsh.
Trying to catch him is no job for a Marathoner.

The said that Frank Gotch has refused an offer of \$15,000 to come to New York and wrestle Joe Stacher (whoever he may be). Gotch says a Stecher to the tother than says a Stecher bout would "draw be-tween \$75,000 and \$100,000 in Omaha or other middle western city where

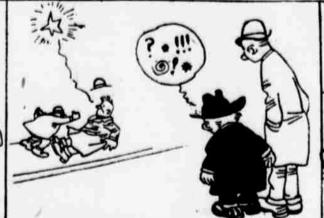
AMHERST WON'T TACKLE wrestling flourishes."
He doesn't mention Chicago. The very peculiar match between Gotch and Hackenschmidt settled wrestling in that city. No great effort has ever been made to induce Gotch to wrestle in Chicago since. It is no longer one of those unsophisticated communities "where greatling flourishes."



Even though most places sell it exclusively ottled by-E.AJ.BURKE

HARVEY'S HUNCHES







WELL



New Baseball Sensation! President Haughton of Braves Has Wrist Watch

PINEHURST, N. C., Jan. 14 .- Grant

THREE CHAMPIONSHIP

GOLF COURSES TO BE

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.-The United

States Golf Association holds its

sure to be chosen.

The candidates for the open are Minikahda of Minneapolis, Kent-of Grand Rapids, Detroit and Englewood. Minikahda and Kent seem

SELECTED TO-DAY.

Winter League Whisperings

by Moran.

To See New Magnate Glancing Towards Left Hand to Tell the Time—Has Man's John the Man's John the Time—Has Man's Joh

Hunts Pointers Beaten By Palace in Hot Battle Between Big Bronx Rivals

Park Row at Metropolitan.

Livery bowling fan north of the strengthened the Palace trio considerably. Lippman made a poor showing in the first affair.

The home team made a runaway race of the third game, winning out by form and seven seconds with a first account of the Palace. Every miss as well as every mark brought forth a roar of applause from the scores of rooters on either side. The visiting Hunts Point-barse. The scores:

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M'LOUGHLIN AND BUNDY

NOT ONLY STAR ATHLETES

WHO ARE IN BAD JUST NOW

It looks as though some of the

star athletes of the country have come upon evil days. McLoughlin and Bundy, the famous tennis stars, were the first to get in bad. Owing to their determination to sell sporting goods they may be branded as professionals when the United States National Levy Tan

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United States National Lawn Ten-nis Association meets next month. Francis Outmet, the world's famous golf player, has also got the sporting goods bug. He plans to open a store in Boston early in April. If he carries out this idea the United States Golf Association

bound to take away his standing

as an amateur.

George Brickley, widely discussed last fall by the refusal of Columbia and other colleges to play Trinity because he was a

member of the eleven, has been barred from further athletic competition at that college, according to the new eligibility code passed there. Brickley has played professional baseball.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS IN

HORSES WILL BE **GREATLY AFFECTED** Jockey Club Decides to Eliminate Rule Allowing Geld-

HANDICAPPING OF

ings 3-Pound Advantage.

At the annual meeting of The Jockey Club the allowance to goldings of three pounds in running races was eliminated from the rules of racing This means that the conditions of all races will be changed, and it will radically affect the handicapping of

The annual reports of the variou committees of the club were read, accommittees of the club were read, accepted and placed on file. Measure. August Belmont, F. K. Sturgts, Schuyler L. Parsons and John Sanford were re-elected stewards of The Jockey Club. At the Annual meeting of the stewards of The Jockey Club held at the office of the club last evening, August Belmont was elected Chairman, F. K. Sturgts, Vice Chairman and H. K. Knapp, Secretary and Treasurer of The Jockey Club for the year 1916. F. R. Hitchcock, H. K. Knapp and Andrew Miller were re-elected a License Committee for the year 1916.

Zbyszko Given Permission to Meet Stecher

Samuel Rachmann, manager of

the wrestling tournament now in progress at the Manhattan Opera House, who holds a contract with Wiadek Zbyszko to wrestle in the tournament until it ends, was asked to day if he would allow Zbyszko to meet Joe Stecher, the Nebraska wonder, at Madison Square Garden on Jan. 27, which match has just been arranged. Eachmann said:
"My contract with the theatre where we are now appearing prevents us from participating in any similar affair elsewhere for a stated period. Zbyszko came to me, however, with a strong plea to be permitted to meat Stecher, stating that he was satisfied that he could pin him to the mat. Ha was so insistent that I permitted the bout to be arranged. Our percentage of the receipts goes to those to whom we have contractural obligations, so that this management is in no way interested except to give Zbyszko a chance to make good.

The "Masked Marvel," and Dr.

many of all number of Hervard football and arch no reason that I am to be the autograin and probably would have no reason that I am to be the autograin and probably would have no reason that I am to be the autograin and probably would have no reason that I am to be the autograin and probably would have no reason that I am to be the autograin and probably would have no reason that I am to be the autograin and probably would have no reason that I am to be the autograin and probably would have no reason that I am to be the autograin and probably would have no reason that I am to be the autograin and probably would have the affect of the Braves, I as President of the Braves, I as Pennant Contender, Says Gaffney

HE Giants are not for sale, and about four positions they would put according to the owners of the club there is no deal on, yet Giants will get this new strength, re-Harry Hempstead, the President of gurdless of the fact whether we buy the club, and John B. Foster, Secrethem. I understand that Mr. Hemptary of the club, yesterday had stead has put in a bid of from ten to twelve Federal League players with luncheon with James E. Gaffney and Harry Sinclair, showing that the pres-Robert H. Davis, the men who re-cently sold their interests in the turned in their efforts to get back or top." Braves to Percy Haughton.

Mr. Hempstead said that the meeting was accidental and that nothing was said about buying the Giants to take a train for Boston. Before leaving Gaffney repeated that he would like to buy the Gants along with Harry Sinciair.

with Harry Sinclair.

"I would like to stay in basebali—
in fact, I want to stay in basebali—
and nothing would please me better
than to own a club in my own town,"
said Gaffney.

"Furthermore, I should only be too
glad to go in with Harry Sinclair in
the purchase of the Giants, but, as
Sinclair has said, the priced asked for
the club is entirely too high.

the club is entirely too high.
"I was talking to Sinclair on the telephone this morning, and we discussed the proposition and decided nothing could be done at present unless Mr. Hompstead lowered his price considerably.

onsiderably.
"I regard the Giatns as a fine proposition, and they can again be made into a pretty good money maker. I think Sinclair would make a great man to own a club here, and with the thirty players he controls to pick from he would have a team that would put the club back where it was

before it started to skid.

"Even though they were in last place last season, the Giants are not a bad club, and if strongthened in Totand; K. O. Egers & Young Brune, Pop. pages



Cantrell & Cochrane

the quartette which will vie for the privilege of entertaining the women next fall.

BAKER WILL START IN RACE

AT BROOKLYN COLLEGE MEET

DARTMOUTH THIS YEAR. Homer Baker, the international halfmile champion, who recently resigned from the New York A. C., and who it AMHERST, Mass., Jan. 14 .- The in is said will soon take up his residence lusion of a game with Cornell on the in Chicago, will be among the flyers schedule of the Massachusetts Agriculthe dropping of Dartmouth from the Amherst schedule were features of the dates announced by the two colleges today. The Cornell game will come on Nov. 18 at Ithaca. Among other games on the Agricultural College list are on the Agricultural College list are oct 21, Harvard at Cambridge; Oct. 28, Worcester Polytechnic Institute at Amherst; Nov. 25, Springfield Y. M. C. A College at Springfield.

"Pro" Hockey for This City. Professional hockey, which is the ding winter sport in Canada, will be introduced in this country when the ice rink has been completed at Madisare to have a six-club league, including New Kork. Boston, Montreal Toronto, Pittsburgh and Clevoland. There is a large rink at New Haven, and if one other Eastern city builds a rink by next season the circuit will be increased to the bout on the advice of the club physical at the Unity Club.

Mack Stops Frankte Nelson.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 14.—Frankis managing two boxers, lie has charge of the property of the Chartest of the Guants of the Guants of Willis Schaefer, the lightweight, who had placed to shadly last night in the second round of the Guants of the Guants of Willis Schaefer, the lightweight, who had the Country of the Guants of the Guants of the Guants of the Guants of the Stops of the Club physical at the Unity Club. ntroduced in this country when the ice

Fistic News and Gossip

important business on the docket is the election of officers and the selection of the three champion-ship courses. As has been printed before, Merion, Nassau and Piping Rock are in the field for the ama-teur, and Merion seems almost sure to be chosen. more tourneys for the atmon-pures are to be staged at the Mercury Foot organ-ization. Charlie Harvey, ex-Secretary of the State Athletic Commission, and the man who tried to stage the Welsh-bout with Moran here. Jees declares that he has the man who tried to stage the Welsh-Dundes bout at the Seventy-first Regi-ment Armory, has been chosen matchmaker for the N. T. A. C. He plans to purse a good proposition, maker for the N. Y. A. C. He plans to secure the best possible talent for the shows at the big Fifty-ninth Street Club. For the feature of the opening card, which will be put on one week from to-morrow night, he has engaged Eddie Moy, the clever boxer that Fred-file Welsh thinks will succeed him as the lightweight champion of the world, so highly does he rate his boxing abiliary will be supported. to be the leading rivals, and En-glewood's chances are almost nii. Four clubs, all in the East, are on the list for the women's cham-pionship, and the race for the tourney is an open one. New Haven, Belmont Spring, near Bos-ton; Greenwich and Baltrusol are ity, and Harry Donahue, the Peoria

The Gary, Indiana, Boxing Club, which shut fown recently, will reopen next month, Larney

Both Soldier Bartfield and Jack Toland have reached tip-top form for their bout to-morrow night at the Broadway Sporting Club. They would up their training pesteriay. K. O. Egger-

meet the toughest opponent he has yet faced when he tackles Harry Pierce, the hard-hitting Brooklyn lightweight, at the Pioneer opering Chub to-morrow night. Pierce has won fire out of his last six bouts by the knockout route. He storged Andy Cortes in ten rounds, a feat no

Thousand: Johnny Overton of Tall, intercollegiate cross-country champion of the United States, and Mike Devanney, the pride of the Millrose A. C. No middle-distance race in years has/recived so classy an entry.

Pred Fulton, who was matched to meet Pork of the match, giving as his reason the defeat of the match, giving as his reason the defeat of the Boston heavyweight by Jack Dillon,

Professional boxing bouts are to be staged at the New York A. C., where the amateurs have been holding sway for years. This doesn't mean that no prove tourneys for the atmosphere are coursely for the atmosphere are

boxer, who has easily won the three bouts he has contested in since arriving here.

By winning six consecutive bouts in Philadelphia Prankie Confirm, the Harlom featherweight boxer, sarned the right to meet Johny Killbane. Kilbans and Confrey come together in a six-round affair at the National Sporting Club of Philadel-phia to-morrow night. Confirms in o recover 8550 for the bout, Kilbane will receive more money that he got when he knocked out Pater Cline at

> sho meets Jack Sayles at the Harlem Sporting ligh on next Friday night, arrived here from Scotton yesterday and started in training for his yout with Sayles. Ertle's appearance at the Har-ern arena will give local fistic fans their first chance to get a line on the new champion. Here-tofore little has only appeared in bouts in Brook-

The Ciermont A. C. of Brooklyn settled its dis-sure with the Zuiu Kid resterday, and imme-liately the Boxing Commission lifted the ban from the club. The Zuiu Kid claimed the club-suat him \$128. James Twyford, manager of the Ciermont A. C., denied this, but paid it any-sar, so that he could stage his show to-morrow sight between Leach Cross and Walter Mohr.

James Johnston, manager and matchmaker at tadison Square Garden, declares that the promed fight between Jess Willard and Frank foran will not take place at the Garden. Jimmy eclared that the Show Corporation holds the cense to conduct boxing matches in the Garden until October, and that this corporation will not take a chance of letting outside promoters enter

AUTOMOBILE LICENSES TO BE ISSUED TO-NIGHT.

The New York office of the Secretary of State, located at Broadway and Sev enty-fourth Street, will be open to-night from 7 to 9 o'clock for the issuing o automobile licenses to owners and chauffeurs who are unable to call during the day. About 125,000 auto licenses and 60,000 chauffeur licenses are to be issued from the local office. Secretary of State Hugo suggests that the 191 licenses be procured at once in order that the inconvenience and discom-fort of the usual wait in line the last few days before Feb. 1 be eliminated as far as possible.

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